

Town of Grand Rapids Special Planning Commission Meeting

"Smart Growth & Comprehensive Planning"

Meeting minutes of Monday, October 20th, 2008. Meeting held at the Town of Grand Rapids Municipal Building located at 2410 48th Street South.

Present; Chairman Raymond Weber, Vice Chairman Tom Arnold, Rodney Dorski, Mike Speich, Eugene Zager, and Lori Edwards Commission members. Supervisors Jeanne Fehrman & Bill Clendenning, Gary Popelka, County Planning and Zoning, Lorelei Fuehrer Grand Rapids Building Inspector and Zoning administrator.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Weber at 6:30 p.m.

Gary Polelka presented a new draft of Governmental review of goals and objectives. Reviewed existing cooperation, existing services, Radon and water testing, add all comprehensive plans. Good discussion on intra-governmental – mainly Wisconsin Rapids area.

Agriculture section, soil maps need to change legend inches to feet.

Commission reviewed following important dates needed for completion of Comprehensive Plan:

- November 17th, 2008- 6:30 p.m., next Smart Growth and Comprehensive Planning meeting.
- January 26th, 2009 – Smart Growth and Comprehensive Planning - All area governments would be invited to review Town of Grand Rapids Comprehensive Plan.
- February 16th, 2009 – Smart Growth and Comprehensive Planning – Commission will hold public meeting for Town residents, businesses, and land owners.
- March 10th, 2009 – Possible meeting to hold to review any questions raised at public meeting.
- March 24th, 2009- Town Board meeting to approve, change, or reject the Plan. Planning Commission would be in attendance.

Motion by Tom Arnold and second by Rodney Dorski to adjourn @ 8:29 p.m.

Next meeting Monday, November 17th, 2008 @ 6:30 p.m. Mike Speich, Secretary